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Selected Characteristics	Both sexes		Male		Female	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER	4,184,223	100.0	1,972,231	100.0	2,211,992	100.0
<b>AGE</b>						
16 and 17 years	36,244	0.9	18,727	0.9	17,517	0.8
18 to 20 years	91,912	2.2	46,496	2.4	45,416	2.1
21 to 24 years	132,665	3.2	59,461	3.0	73,204	3.3
25 to 29 years	257,982	6.2	98,992	5.0	158,990	7.2
30 to 34 years	405,488	9.7	152,497	7.7	252,991	11.4
35 to 39 years	535,255	12.8	213,552	10.8	321,703	14.5
40 to 44 years	572,836	13.7	252,252	12.8	320,584	14.5
45 to 49 years	539,710	12.9	255,042	12.9	284,668	12.9
50 to 54 years	498,020	11.9	245,926	12.5	252,094	11.4
55 to 59 years	400,461	9.6	208,236	10.6	192,225	8.7
60 and 61 years	124,931	3.0	67,051	3.4	57,880	2.6
62 to 64 years	152,617	3.6	85,796	4.4	66,821	3.0
65 and 66 years	82,738	2.0	47,869	2.4	34,869	1.6
67 to 69 years	109,401	2.6	66,159	3.4	43,242	2.0
70 to 74 years	129,361	3.1	81,620	4.1	47,741	2.2
75 to 79 years	72,994	1.7	46,849	2.4	26,145	1.2
80 to 84 years	29,114	0.7	18,424	0.9	10,690	0.5
85 years and over	12,494	0.3	7,282	0.4	5,212	0.2
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>						
Less than 9th grade	133,655	3.2	69,711	3.5	63,944	2.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	294,279	7.0	135,550	6.9	158,729	7.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	922,004	22.0	392,574	19.9	529,430	23.9
Some college, no degree	1,010,672	24.2	422,010	21.4	588,662	26.6
Associate degree	272,699	6.5	110,815	5.6	161,884	7.3
Bachelor's degree	1,012,179	24.2	526,558	26.7	485,621	22.0
Graduate or professional degree	538,735	12.9	315,013	16.0	223,722	10.1
<b>RACE</b>						
One Race	4,115,181	98.4	1,941,513	98.4	2,173,668	98.2
White	3,693,493	88.3	1,776,840	90.1	1,916,653	86.6
Black or African American	190,322	4.5	67,948	3.4	122,374	5.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	24,253	0.6	10,600	0.5	13,653	0.6
Asian	113,213	2.7	51,735	2.6	61,478	2.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3,910	0.1	1,749	0.1	2,161	0.1
Some other race	89,990	2.2	32,641	1.7	57,349	2.6
Two or more races	69,042	1.7	30,718	1.6	38,324	1.7
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	235,673	5.6	90,312	4.6	145,361	6.6
Not Hispanic or Latino	3,948,550	94.4	1,881,919	95.4	2,066,631	93.4
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	3,564,828	85.2	1,724,990	87.5	1,839,838	83.2

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Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: 1/						
White	3,750,767	89.6	1,802,349	91.4	1,948,418	88.1
Black or African American	201,892	4.8	72,700	3.7	129,192	5.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	50,064	1.2	21,560	1.1	28,504	1.3
Asian	128,868	3.1	58,625	3.0	70,243	3.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8,403	0.2	3,847	0.2	4,556	0.2
Some other race	118,207	2.8	45,945	2.3	72,262	3.3
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>						
Private for profit wage and salary workers	1,814,426	43.4	914,978	46.4	899,448	40.7
Employee of private for profit company	1,304,319	31.2	621,320	31.5	682,999	30.9
Self employed in own incorporated business	510,107	12.2	293,658	14.9	216,449	9.8
Private not for profit wage and salary workers	169,844	4.1	71,807	3.6	98,037	4.4
Local government workers	63,115	1.5	20,385	1.0	42,730	1.9
State government workers	62,701	1.5	21,785	1.1	40,916	1.8
Federal government workers	51,158	1.2	33,753	1.7	17,405	0.8
Self employed worker in own not incorporated business	1,910,919	45.7	864,490	43.8	1,046,429	47.3
Unpaid family workers	112,060	2.7	45,033	2.3	67,027	3.0
<b>OCCUPATION</b>						
Management, professional and related occupations	1,868,536	44.7	1,080,219	54.8	788,317	35.6
Management, business and financial operations occupations	1,022,093	24.4	656,670	33.3	365,423	16.5
Professional and related occupations	846,443	20.2	423,549	21.5	422,894	19.1
Service occupations	769,949	18.4	117,911	6.0	652,038	29.5
Healthcare support occupations	78,278	1.9	8,488	0.4	69,790	3.2
Protective service occupations	17,505	0.4	13,475	0.7	4,030	0.2
Food preparation and service related occupations	42,451	1.0	16,107	0.8	26,344	1.2
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	79,388	1.9	42,900	2.2	36,488	1.6
Personal care and service occupations	552,327	13.2	36,941	1.9	515,386	23.3
Sales and office occupations	1,039,817	24.9	400,196	20.3	639,621	28.9
Sales and related occupations	581,838	13.9	329,951	16.7	251,887	11.4
Office and administrative support occupations	457,979	10.9	70,245	3.6	387,734	17.5
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	62,071	1.5	43,054	2.2	19,017	0.9
Agriculture workers, including supervisors	57,188	1.4	38,749	2.0	18,439	0.8
Fishing, hunting, and forestry occupations	4,883	0.1	4,305	0.2	578	0.0
Construction, extraction and maintenance occupations	183,247	4.4	170,046	8.6	13,201	0.6
Construction and extraction occupations	87,889	2.1	79,848	4.0	8,041	0.4

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Installation, maintenance and repair occupations	95,358	2.3	90,198	4.6	5,160	0.2
Production, transportation and material moving occupations	246,150	5.9	147,520	7.5	98,630	4.5
Production occupations	171,885	4.1	87,154	4.4	84,731	3.8
Transportation and material moving occupations	74,265	1.8	60,366	3.1	13,899	0.6
Armed Forces not elsewhere specified	14,453	0.3	13,285	0.7	1,168	0.1
<b>INDUSTRY</b>						
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	378,581	9.0	284,369	14.4	94,212	4.3
Construction	209,773	5.0	128,110	6.5	81,663	3.7
Manufacturing	279,444	6.7	170,811	8.7	108,633	4.9
Wholesale trade	165,047	3.9	107,090	5.4	57,957	2.6
Retail trade	339,143	8.1	141,904	7.2	197,239	8.9
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	88,867	2.1	55,836	2.8	33,031	1.5
Information	151,367	3.6	78,954	4.0	72,413	3.3
Finance, insurance, real estate and rental and leasing	340,578	8.1	193,724	9.8	146,854	6.6
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	842,990	20.1	425,454	21.6	417,536	18.9
Education, health and social services	752,167	18.0	96,261	4.9	655,906	29.7
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	232,410	5.6	109,251	5.5	123,159	5.6
Other services (except public administration)	327,416	7.8	136,885	6.9	190,531	8.6
Public administration	52,594	1.3	22,078	1.1	30,516	1.4
Armed Forces not elsewhere specified	23,846	0.6	21,504	1.1	2,342	0.1
<b>EARNINGS</b>						
Worked in 1999	3,954,081	94.5	1,882,201	95.4	2,071,880	93.7
\$1 to \$2,499 or loss	680,625	16.3	241,783	12.3	438,842	19.8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	260,081	6.2	73,094	3.7	186,987	8.5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	479,514	11.5	151,256	7.7	328,258	14.8
\$10,000 to \$14,999	432,864	10.3	162,385	8.2	270,479	12.2
\$15,000 to \$19,999	315,043	7.5	127,451	6.5	187,592	8.5
\$20,000 to \$24,999	296,032	7.1	131,952	6.7	164,080	7.4
\$25,000 to \$29,999	234,633	5.6	113,320	5.7	121,313	5.5
\$30,000 to \$34,999	204,504	4.9	107,195	5.4	97,309	4.4
\$35,000 to \$39,999	163,607	3.9	90,519	4.6	73,088	3.3
\$40,000 to \$44,999	149,500	3.6	88,677	4.5	60,823	2.7
\$45,000 to \$49,999	99,096	2.4	58,095	2.9	41,001	1.9
\$50,000 to \$54,999	134,272	3.2	88,453	4.5	45,819	2.1
\$55,000 to \$59,999	61,896	1.5	38,997	2.0	22,899	1.0
\$60,000 to \$64,999	93,414	2.2	62,710	3.2	30,704	1.4
\$65,000 to \$74,999	115,070	2.8	79,918	4.1	35,152	1.6
\$75,000 to \$99,999	188,828	4.5	137,827	7.0	51,001	2.3

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\$100,000 or more	275,244	6.6	218,599	11.1	56,645	2.6
Did not work in 1999	230,142	5.5	90,030	4.6	140,112	6.3
<b>WEEKS WORKED IN 1999</b>						
Worked in 1999	3,954,081	94.5	1,882,201	95.4	2,071,880	93.7
50 to 52 weeks	2,819,502	67.4	1,442,938	73.2	1,376,564	62.2
48 and 49 weeks	190,065	4.5	80,171	4.1	109,894	5.0
40 to 47 weeks	312,696	7.5	122,429	6.2	190,267	8.6
27 to 39 weeks	215,956	5.2	78,749	4.0	137,207	6.2
14 to 26 weeks	247,984	5.9	92,643	4.7	155,341	7.0
1 to 13 weeks	398,020	9.5	155,301	7.9	242,719	11.0
Did not work in 1999	230,142	5.5	90,030	4.6	140,112	6.3
<b>USUAL HOURS WORKED IN 1999</b>						
Worked in 1999	3,954,081	94.5	1,882,201	95.4	2,071,880	93.7
35 or more hours per week	2,719,881	65.0	1,504,280	76.3	1,215,601	55.0
15 to 34 hours per week	884,194	21.1	277,755	14.1	606,439	27.4
1 to 14 hours per week	580,148	13.9	190,196	9.6	389,952	17.6
Did not work in 1999	230,142	5.5	90,030	4.6	140,112	6.3
<b>DISABILITY STATUS</b>						
With any disability	621,561	14.9	306,170	15.5	315,391	14.3
No disability	3,562,662	85.1	1,666,061	84.5	1,896,601	85.7

1/ In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

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